

# National Weather Service Tallahassee, Florida

# Significant Heavy Rainfall Possible Watching for Tropical Development Late This Weekend

#### **Latest Outlook from NHC**



- A weak trough of low pressure will remain nearly stationary across the Northeastern Gulf of Mexico through the weekend.
- Depending on whether the area of low pressure remains over the Gulf, some slow development of this system is possible by Monday.
- Currently, the system has a 20 percent chance of developing into a tropical system in the next few days.

### **Significant Event Information**



#### **Heavy Rainfall Threat:**

- Regardless of tropical development, this disturbance will bring the potential for significant heavy rainfall to portions of the region.
- Through Sunday evening, the heaviest rainfall will be across the coastal areas of the Florida Big Bend. Some locations in this area could experience greater than 6 inches of rainfall.







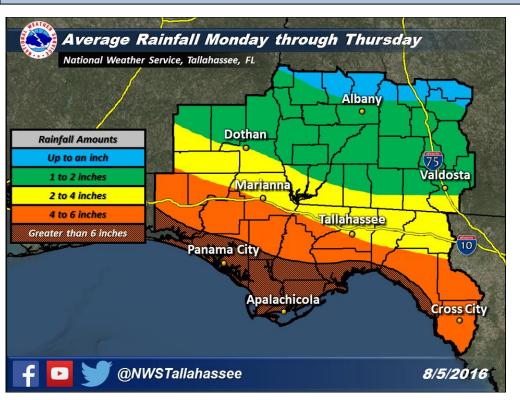


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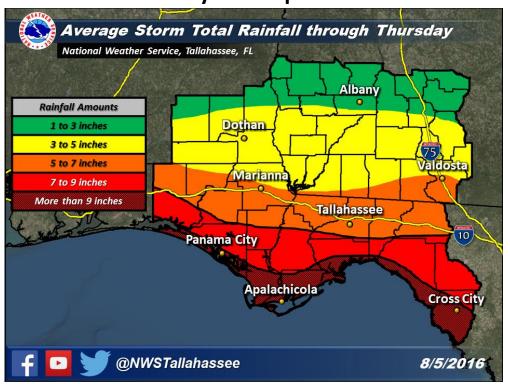
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## **Briefing Packet - Page Two**



- With the disturbance expected to move very slowly westward through the middle of next week, a lengthy period of heavy rainfall is possible across the region.
- Based on the latest model guidance, the heavier rainfall would be in North Florida, with the heaviest amounts nearer to the coast on Monday through Thursday.

#### **Event Summary and Impacts**



#### Impacts:

- A multi-day period of heavy rainfall is possible extending into next week. By Sunday, as rainfall amounts increase, flash flooding will become possible, especially in North Florida.
- Coastal river systems will be especially vulnerable to flooding in the days ahead should these rainfall amounts verify.









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